

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various state
2 departments and institutions; and to declare an emergency.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds
5 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state
6 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and
7 other income, to the state departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the
8 purpose of defraying their expenses for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act,
9 and ending June 30, 2023, as follows:

10 Subdivision 1.

11 OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

12	Judgment expenses	\$765
13	Total general fund	\$765
14	Judgment expenses	\$277,771
15	Total general fund	\$277,771

16 Subdivision 2.

17 ATTORNEY GENERAL

18	Prosecution witness fees	\$75,000
19	Total general fund	\$75,000
20	Prosecution witness fees	\$75,000
21	Statewide litigation funding pool	1,000,000
22	Total general fund	\$1,075,000

23 Subdivision 3.

24 ~~ETHICS COMMISSION~~

Sixty-eighth
Legislative Assembly

1	Special assistant attorney general fees	\$72,000
2	Relocation costs	25,000
3	Total general fund	\$97,000
4	Subdivision 4.	
5	DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU	
6	Education program reimbursement	\$99,768
7	Total general fund	\$99,768
8	Subdivision 54.	
9	DEPARTMENT OF OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	
10	Medicaid expenses	\$310,000,000
11	Total all funds	\$310,000,000
12	Less estimated income	285,000,000
13	Total general fund	\$25,000,000
14	Subdivision 65.	
15	ADJUTANT GENERAL	
16	Loan repayment - disaster costs	\$904,203
17	Loan repayment - protest costs	13,652,321
18	Total general fund	\$14,556,524
19	<u>Loan repayment - disaster costs</u>	<u>\$4,695,890</u>
20	<u>Loan interest repayment - law enforcement costs</u>	<u>1,026,833</u>
21	<u>Total state disaster relief fund</u>	<u>\$5,722,723</u>
22	Subdivision 76.	
23	AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER	
24	Loan repayment - emergency feed transportation program	\$1,700,000
25	Total general fund	\$1,700,000
26	Subdivision 87.	
27	TOTAL - SECTION 1	
28	Grand total general fund	\$41,529,057
29	Grand total special funds	285,000,000
30	Grand total all funds	\$326,529,057
31	<u>Grand total general fund</u>	<u>\$28,152,539</u>

1 Grand total special funds 290,722,723

2 Grand total all funds \$318,875,262

3 **SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - COST REIMBURSEMENTS - LOAN**

4 **REPAYMENTS.** It is the intent of the sixty-eighth legislative assembly that the attorney general
5 seek reimbursement from the federal government for the costs of responding to unlawful activity
6 associated with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the
7 sixty-eighth legislative assembly that these reimbursements be used to repay the Bank of North
8 Dakota loans authorized by the emergency commission and the legislative assembly which
9 were obtained to provide the funding necessary to respond to the unlawful activity associated
10 with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the sixty-eighth
11 legislative assembly that the provisions of section 54-16-13 apply to the loans, except that
12 emergency commission approval does not apply.

13 **SECTION 3. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.